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Appl. No. 10/694,130  
Any Docket No. 6373R2RD2  
Amdt. Dated April 19, 2005  
Reply to Final Office Action Dated January 21, 2005  
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. 10/694,130  
Applicant(s) William M. Glandorf et al.  
Filed October 27, 2003  
Title Method of Reducing Staining of Stannous Dentifrice  
Compositions  
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Examiner Frederick F. Krass  
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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with Rule 114 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and remarks. Applicants submit herewith: (1) a Request for Continued Examination and authorization to charge the appropriate fees to Procter & Gamble Deposit Account No. 16-2480.

This response is being filed within the shortened statutory period of three months from the final Office Action dated January 21, 2005 and no extension fees are believed to be due. In the event that an additional fee is required, please charge the above Deposit Account.

Applicants respectfully request that the amendments and remarks made herein be entered into the record of the instant application.

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**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.